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In re Application of
Kevin M. Gorman, et al

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For OLIGONUCLEOTIDE PRIMERS FOR EFFICIENT MULTIPLEX
DETECTION OF HEPATITIS C VIRUS (HCV) AND HUMAN
IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) AND ...

Group Art Unit
1634

Examiner
Jeanine A. Goldberg

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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